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WANT A NEW HIGH SCHOOL

Representatives of all Classes Argue For Another Structure.

MAKE EARNEST PLEAS

Proceedings Enlivened by Frank Spink's Reply to Julian Y. William's Interruption.

The joint committee on schools and finance met last night in the Chamber of the Common Council for the purpose of hearing statements from representatives of the different organizations of the city which are urging the erection at the earliest moment of a new high school building. Representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, Retail Merchants, fraternal and labor organizations, the church, etc., were present, as well as several ladies who are interested in the movement.

The committee entered the chamber shortly after eight o'clock and when the chairman, Alderman Henry K. Field, called the asembly to order the enclosure outside the bar was densely packed and every seat on the floor occupied.

Mr. Field announced that the committees were ready to hear statements from those present, and Rev. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ Church, arose. He said he was present for the good of the community as well as in the interest of humanity, as education, was most important in life's contests as well as in the competition to which the present generation is subjected. Alexandria, he said, was regarded as the cradle of public schools in Virginia, such an institution having been founded in an old building twice condemned in recent years by grand juries. He alleged that the congested condition in this old structure rendered it unfit for the purposes for which it is being used, and said one of his children contracted a skin disease in this building. Mr. Morton charged that Alexandria was fifty years behind in public schools in Virginia, and that the University of Virginia did not recognize our system.

Mr. Morton received a round of applause at the close of his remarks.

Mr. Field extended an invitation to any of the ladies present to make any suggestions they might deem proper, when Mrs. John Leadbeater, arose. Among other things she said she was the mother of five children, and was considering the advisability of moving to Washington in order that they might secure suitable education. She, however, preferred to remain in Alexandria, but realized the importance of her children being properly tutored.

H. T. Colvin, of the Alexandria Trades Council was the next speaker. He said the meeting had been called at the instance of the organizations embraced in the Alexandria Trades Council, Daughters of America, Maccabees, Owls, Junior Order American Mechanics and other organizations, embracing two thousand men, who, with their families, formed one-half of the population of the city. He said a majority of the children who attended public schools are the offspring of working men. He referred to the congested condition of the old building adjoining Washington School, and read statistics of the school population, number of students, etc., which had been furnished him by the clerk of the City School Board. Among other things he said, a demand should be made upon the city for a new building. The speaker said he had no plan to submit as to the financing of the movement, but was satisfied the City Council was able to handle that end of it.

Mr. Colvin, at the conclusion of his remarks, which brought forth much applause introduced President J. W. Collins, of the Alexandria Trades Council. Mr. Collins said the organization over which he presided embraced eighteen branches of organized labor, and he spoke for a few minutes on lines similar to those followed by the preceding speaker. He said organized labor was here to stay.

R. M. Perttyman, of the Blacksmith's Union, was the next speaker. He urged the necessity of greater school facilities. He said he knew nothing about finances, but that problem could be handled by Council.

Mr. Colvin then introduced Geo. K. Bender, who represented the Ordre of the Fraternal Americans. His remarks were brief and on the lines followed by the preceding speakers.

Mr. Colvin called upon C. A. Bladen of the Maccabees, who made a lengthy appeal in behalf of more extensive educational facilities. He said there should be a building erected containing sixteen rooms and an assembly hall, and nothing else would be acceptable to the petitioners.

After Mr. Bladen had taken his seat Mr. Colvin said other persons representing different organizations were present, who, it was intended to call upon for speeches, but as people identified with other organizations were present who might desire to make statements in behalf of better schools, the organizations he represented would give them a chance to be heard

George D. Hopkins, of the Chamber of Commerce, subsequently took the floor. He said seventy-five per cent. of the taxes collected in this city was paid by the organization he represented, and this organization heartily endorsed the movement for the erection of a new high school building. The buildings which had been condemned by grand juries should be vacated and others built. He saw no reason why Council could not handle the financial end, as it had spent $5,000 recently to enable lawyers to chase rainbows.

R. E. Knight, of the Retail Merchants' Association, followed Mr. Hopkins. He alleged that the chief educational institutions of the state do not recognize the education received by Alexandrians as qualifying them for higher branches of tuition, and said he had received telegrams concerning the low standard of an education received in the public schools of this city. He charged that boys could not be prepared for the University of Virginia in this city.

At this juncture Councilman Spinks asked certain pertinent questions concerning our schools and the large amount of money spent yearly for the maintainance of the same. Among other things he called attention to the fact that Alexandria is spending twice as much yearly for schools as it did several years ago. He also referred to the new building in recent years.

W. H. Sweeney, Superintendent of Public Schools, in answer to Mr. Knight's charges, said that the University of Virginia made greater demands upon would-be pupils than it did in former years. Alexandria, he stated, had adopted studies required by the State Board of Education. Under prevailing conditions the accredited list must bo examined by some representative of the University of Virginia. A few years ago, he said any young man could enter the University. Now a uniform course of study with the requisite units were required by the state.

Carroll Pierce, of the School Board, subsequently spoke of the need of better school facilities.

Mr. Pierce was followed by L. Ruben, of the Retail Merchants' Association. Among other things he said our present school facilities were unsatisfactory and liable to keep people away from Alexandria.

Councilman Spinks later returned to the chamber when considerable pleasantry followed queries he propounded to different speakers.

Mr. Spinks having again obtained the floor, he said he had been a member of Council fourteen years, during which time he had conscientiously endeavored to do his duty towards those who had from year to year elected him. He had always stood by the working man, and one occasion when the latter's interests were involved he was one out of fifteen to stand by the sons of toil. He had at that time paid the costs of an injunction out of his own pocket. The puble schools were costing about $100,000 more at the present time than when he entered Council, but he had always favored maintaining public schools in the best manner possible.

Councilman Leadbeater arose and started to speak in substance, that the joint committee had met in order to listen to petitioners in the interests of public schools and not to listen to political speeches.

Chairman Field asked if any other person desired to speak, and all who had anything to say having subsided, he declared the conference adjourned.

NATIONAL COUNCIL GUESTS OF CITY

Entertainments Given in Honor of Distinguished Women.

MEETINGS AT TRINITY.

Large Audience Hears Three Distinguished Women Speak on Vital Topics Last Night.

The closing session in Alexandria of the National Council of Women will be held tonight when Senator John D. Works, of Calofornia, Dr. Anna Garlin Spencer, of New York and Mrs. Dr. Bower, of Michigan, will be the speakers. The latter will have as her subject "Fraternal Organizations." The delegates will be given an automobile ride this afternoon when they will be taken to the Theological Seminary. From 5 to 7 o'clock this afternoon a reception will be tendered them by Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, president of the Council.

Supper at Lee Camp Hall.

One of the most beautiful and enjoyable suppers ever given in Alexandria was that tendered last evening at 6:30 o'clock at Lee Camp Hall complimentary to the National Council of Women. The parlors of the Hall never looked prettier. The color scheme was yellow and green. The rooms were effectively decorated in palms and yellow jonquils. A center piece of yellow jonquils and silver candlelabra with yellow shades adorned each table. Before the courses were served Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, President of the National Council of Women, requested Rev. P. P. Phillips to invoke the blessing after which the menu, deliciously prepared, was served.

When the appetizing viands had been discussed delightful impromptu speeches were made by the following ladies: Mrs. Mae Wright Sewell, Miss Sadie American, Dr. Bower and Dr. Anna Howard Shaw.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett then expressed her thanks to the ladies who had worked so earnestly to make the affair a success and who had given such a hospitable reception to the National Council of Women.

Too much praise cannot be given to Mrs. Lycurgus E. Uhler, chairman of the committee of ladies having the affair in charge. It was largely through her efforts that such a handsome and elaborate supper was given.

Those assisting in serving were Mrs. Emmett C. Dunn, Mrs. C. William Wattles, Mrs. Louise C. Scott, Mrs. Robert S. Barrett Mrs. Henry S. Wattles, Mrs Herbert Oliver, Mrs. Isaac Gregg, Mrs. William Jorg, Mrs. Taylor Burke, Mrs. George French, Miss Hackett, Miss Mary Carlin, Miss Julia Nicol and Miss Lila Barrett.

Last Night's Meeting.

Never has an Alexandria audience had the opportunity of hearing three as brilliant and logical speakers as the three women who addressed the meeting at Trinity Church last night. Miss Julia Lathrop, Chief of the Children's Bureau, Miss Sadie American, of New York, and Mrs. Mae Wright Sewall, of Berkeley, Cal., were the speakers of the evening and they charmed the large audience which had gathered to hear them.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, president of the Council presided, and after a few introductory remarks by Rev. G. A. Luttrell, pastor of the church, Judge C. E. Nicol, welcomed the visitors to Alexandria. Rev. W. J. Morton, of Christ Church, pronounced the benediction at the close of the meeting.

Miss Lathrop, told of the work which was being done by the Children's Bureau in securing definite information in reference to the children of America. A large part of her discourse was given up to a plea for the more accurate keeping of vital statistics "Only one out of every four persons in our country, exists according to the birth statistics," said Miss Lathrop.

The speaker told of the new law which had just gone into effect in Virginia, requiring the registration of births and deaths, which she said would put this state among those which had taken an advanced position in this direction.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, president of the Council, pledged the National Woman's Association to advocate the appropriation of sufficient funds for the most efficient administration of the Children's Bureau.

Miss Sadie American, executive secretary of the National Council of Jewish Women, spoke on "Our Immigrants." 'We are all immigrants," she began. "Today there is no such thing as a foreign population.

"Today all over the civilized world great masses of women are migrating," Miss American continued. "They range in age from sixteen to twenty-nine years. More than 10,000 girls are looked after annually by the society with which I am connected."

Mrs. Mae Wright Sewall, of Berkeley, Va., honorary president of the International Council of Women, was the last speaker of the evening. Her subject was "Peace and Arbitration." She narrated in her opening remarks what has been done by both the National and International Council of Women, the object being to become better acquainted with the customs and beliefs of the people of other nations. After eleven years, she said, this work was accomplished with the organization of the international council, which is now working assiduously in behalf of peace and arbitration.

POLICE COURT

(Justice H. B. Caton, Presiding.

John E. Tribble, charged with bigamy, held for Manassas authorities.

Daniel Kelly, Ed. Cushion and Frank Tuttle, charged with disorderly conduct were released on their promising to leave town.

Lizzie Fleming, colored, assault on Claudine Martin, fined $5.

Herbert Willis, colored, assault on Maud Berry, had his case continued 10 days.

John Courtney and Rose Courtney, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, dismissed.

Edward Paldaca, charged with keeping a dog not properly muzzled, fined $5.

D. A. R. ELECTION.

After a second ballot yesterday in which Mrs. Story, the anti-administration candidate came within six votes of receiving a majority, the situation in the election of officers for the D. A. R., was somewhat cleared this morning by the withdrawal of Mrs. Charles B. Bryan, of Tennessess.

The withdrawal of Mrs. Bryan indicates the election of Mrs. Story today. Balloting commenced at ten o'clock and will be concluded tonight.

The women are tired and anxious to go home.

RECEPTION TO MINISTER.

Rev. C. R. Strausburg Tendered Ovation Last Night.

The congregation of the Methodist Protestant Church last night tendered Rev. C. R. Strausburg, pastor a reception at that church in honor of his re-appointment as pastor. Rev. G. A. Luttrell, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, delivered a welcoming address on behalf of the Ministerial Association of the city.

Mr. Strausburg respondeda in feeling manner, an dstated that the entire affair was a complete surprise to him, as he had accepted an invitation to spend the evening with a member of his congregtion, who afterwards conducted him to the church.

The following program of exercises followed:

Recitation, J. Fred Birrell; recitation, Miss Pollard; recitation, Miss Caroline West; address on behalf of the congregation, John H. Trimyer; address on behalf of the Sunday school, Fred Ebhardt; address on behalf of the Christian Endeavor Society, Norman Roberts; address on behalf of the Bible class, Roger Sullivan.

Mrs. Strausburg was presented by the church with a beautiful bouquet of flowers, and the Ladies' Society presented Mr. Strausburg with a handsome basket of fruit.

Delicious deviled crabs served hot 12 noon and 6 p.m., daily, also baked to order at Rammel Cafe.

WOMEN FORTIFIED IN A MONUMENT

Suffragette Literature and Missiles Hurled From High Perch.

SHOUTS ARE DROWNED

Pure Billingsgate Used by Angry Fish Dealers Whose Business Was Being Interrupted by Militants.

London, April 18.—For several hours today militant suffragettes withstood a siege in the Billingsgate monument, which they caputured by strategy and rained suffrage literature and missiles on the heads of the angry crowds below stopping all traffic and interfering with the business of the fish merchants whose stands are in the street.

The mob composed largely of vendors and inhabitants of Billingsgate, drowned the shouts or the militants for "Votes for Women" and "Victory or Death" with language for which they are world famous cursing the police as much as the women for allowing the monument to be captured.

One infuriated fish merchant attempted to force his way up a small spiral staircase with the intention of ejecting the women. The suffragettes hurled lead pellets and other missiles upon him until he was forced to retreat.

By this time the streets were blocked for several squares around, and the police reserves and fire departments were called out. At one time the authorities considered sending for royal troops.

When the police arrived they attempted to scale the small staircase, protecting their heads with improvised shields. The women hurled missiles upon them, and declared their intention not to leave the monument. One vowed that she would throw herself into the street if the police tried to eject her. For a while the determination balked the officers, and they tried to hold a peace conference and negotiate terms, but this, too, proved useless.

At last police united in a rush, and each grabbed a woman and tried to drag her to the street. The women screamed, bit, scratched, and did everything in their power to free themselves, acting up to the name which has been given them, of "the wild women."

The women's dresses were torn and the police were battle scarred when they reached the street. The suffragetes were hysterical with rage. When they reached the street it was necessary for the bystanders to lend the police a hand.

Three suffragettes are still holding their own on the top of the monument, and another assault is being planned. If this fails, the oniy thing left to do will be to lay siege to the stronghold. The women declare they will never be taken from their stations alive.

The wome nwere taken to court, but as no charges could be brought against them, they were discharged.

POPE STILL IMPROVING.

Pontiff Passes Tranquil Night—Talks With Sisters.

Rome, April 18.—Pope Pius was said to be much improved today following a night in which he slept tranquilly, except when disturbed by coughing.

Prof. Marchiafava and Dr. Amici, on their first visit of the day issued the following bulletin:

"The Holy Father passed a tranquil night, and today there is no fever. His temperature is 97.8 The bronchial affection has ben ameliorated and his general condition is improved."

By noon the Pope had chatted with his sisters, Maria and Anna Sarto.

Mrs. "Matt" Muze, a negress was lynched yesterday at Strader, Miss., by a mob of negro men after she had murdered her husband by nearly cutting his head off with a razor. The woman sang a hymn as she was being put to death.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

An official appeal was made yesterday by the Chinese government to all the Christian churches in China to set aside April 27 as a day for prayer that China may be guided to a wise solution of the critical problems besetting her. The appeal was distributed broadcast by telegraph to the governors and high officials within whose jurisdiction Christian communities are to be found. It was also sent to the leaders of the various missions. Prayer was requested for the national assembly, for the new government, for the president of the republic, who is yet to be elected; for the constitution of the republic, for the recognition of the republic by the powers for the maintenance of peace, and for election of strong and virtuous men for office. The representatives of the provincial authorities are instructed to attend the services.

With the announcement yesterday of his approval of the sentence of the court which dismissed Midshipman James C. Cook from the naval Academy for hazing, Secretary Daniels sent a letter to every midshipman at Annapolis warning him that hereafter that no leniency will be shown hazers, who, in addition to being dismissed, will receive the additional penalty of imprisonment, as provided by law.

At the conclusion of today's session of the coroner's jury investigating the death of George Dietz, the wealthy woman's tailor, of Chicago, who was murdered in his room Sunday night by hammer blows, the coroner's jury ordered Mrs. Dietz and George Nurnberg, who admitted that he was her admirer, held for the murder.

Lieutenant Arghyiropoulous a Greek aviator, and a passenger, Constantinos Manos, a noted Cretan chief, were killed yesterday near Salonika by a fall of an aeroplane from a height of 2,000 feet.

Bodies hang from nearly every telegraph pole along 50 miles of the Mexican Central Railway below Chihuahua city, report refugees arriving at El Paso, Texas. Both the federals and insurgent state troops are said to have participated in the execution of prisoners.

Allegations that warehouse receipts for 500 bales of cotton placed as collateral for a loan of $25,000 made to the Martin-Phillips Company, of Memphis, of which Joseph W. Martin, missing from London, is president, have been pronounced forgeries by the warehouse man, are made in a bill filed in chancery yesterday by attorneys representing the Fourth National Bank of New York. Garnishment against an estate in which Martin is interested is asked.

Three firemen were killed and a dozen others were seriously, some probably fatally injured last night, when they were buried beneath a falling wall at a fire which destroyed the five-story candy factory of W. T. Westcott, near the center of Philadelphia.

"I killed Mildred Donovan. That was only one of many murders that I committed. That is all I have to say. What do you think of that?" This confession was uttered from the dock in the superior criminal court in Boston yesterday by William B. Jennings, known in the prize ring as "Young Kid Carter," just after he had been found guilty of killing William H. MacPherson, a bartender, on New Year's day, and had been sentenced to imprisonment for life.

Two young men, one of whom, according to the police, with match in hand, was about to light a bomb in the hallway of an East Side New York tenement, were arrested late last night by detectives, who had secreted themselves in the hallway. The prisoners, both foreigners, were immediately subjected to a grilling process in the hope that they possibly would put the police on a trail that would lead to the breaking up of the Black Hand gangs that have set off nearly 60 bombs in this city since the first of the year.

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QUESTION OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS

Young Ministers Refuse to Affirm Faith in Virgin Birth.

PROTEST IS FILED.

Presbyterians Stirred by Action of New York Presbytery in Ordaining Candidates.

New York, April 18.—A New York Presbytery committee has made public a protest against the Presbytery's action last Monday in making Presbyterian ministers out of Tertius Vandyke, a son of Dr. Henry Vandyke; Philip S. Bird, Chalmers Holbrook and John A. Murray, all recent graduates of Union Theological seminary. The committee also made public its reply to the protest.

The dispute grows out of examinations of these young men upon their belief in the virgin birth of Christ, the resurrection and the authenticity of the fourth gospel.

The protest signed by Doctors John Fox and Henry M. Tynard and Elder John A. Park, is answered by Drs. Henry Sloan Coffin and Jesse F. Forbes, the clerk. The protestants said that the young men showed unmistakably that they did not accep the historical reliability of either the Old or New Testament. Also that they refused to affirm their faith in the virgin birth of Christ, as related in the gospels of Luke and Matthew or in the raising of Lazarus from the dead, as related in the gospel of John.

The Presbytery committee replies tha the candidates declared they accepted both testaments as the rule of faith and practice, and that they believed in a God able to work miracles; regarding some miracles in the Bible which are the subject of dispute, they felt themselves not enough enlightened to come to conclusions.

It is said that the protest will be carried to the General Assembly meeting in Atlanta on May 14th.

RECEIVERS NAMED.

Judge J. B. T. Thornton, in Manassas, this morning, appointed Carroll Pierce, vice-president of the Citizens' National Bank, and Leo P. Harlow receivers for the Emerson Engine Company, of this city.

Three applications for receivers were made. The first Central Metal Co., the Alexandria County Lighting Co., and Motor Boating. The second was made yesterday by Robert T. Weaver and R. H. Goldsborough, of Washington, the former treasurer and superintendent of the company, and the latter a director, and and the third was filed this morning in Manassas, by Howard W. Smith, representing Victor E. Emerson, president and Henry E. Jenkins, secretary of the company.

LEGISLATIVE PRIMARY.

Call For Joint Meeting of Democratic Committe Out Soon.

A call will be issued next week for a joint meeting of the city and county Democratic committe to fix a date for a primary for nominating a candidate for the state legislature to represent this city and Alexandria county.

There are two candidates for the office thus far—J. Fred Birrell, member of the City Council from the Third ward, and Major E. W. R. Ewing, of Ballston, Alexandria county.

Under the provisions of the new primary law the candidates must file notice of their candidacy sixty days prior to the time fixed for the primary. Robinson Moncure of this city, is the present delegate in the state legislature from this city and county. He will not be a candidate for re-election.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Mrs. H. H. Snow, of Swarthmore, Pa., is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Monroe, in this city.

Mr. William Seymour, of Richmond, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brockett in north Washington street.

Among those attending the Dixie Ball given by the Robert E. Lee Chapter, U. D. C., at the Raleigh, Washington, D. C., last night, were Mrs. Charles B. Marshall, Miss Amy Heishley and Miss May Hunt, of this city.

Cadet Douglas McLean, V. M. I., is spending a few days in this city.

Miss Betsy Page of Fairfax, is the guest of Miss Emily Johnson in Prince street.

Among the engagements of the spring not yet announced is that of Miss Anna Porter and Representative Henry D. Flood, of Virginia. Miss Portner is the daughter of the late Robert Portner, of Manassas, Va., and she is spending the spring at the Grafton, Washington, with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Meredith. Miss Portner made her debut in Washington, six years ago. Both Miss Portner and her fiance are very popular in residential and official Washington.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett is entertaining the delegates to the National Council of Women at a reception from 5 to 7 this afternoon at her home on Duke street.

The Musical-Art Club met yesterday with Mrs. Arthur Bryant in north Washington street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A new modern soda and ice cream fountain has been installed in the store of Grimes, the druggist, 1120 King street. Mr. Grimes expects to have it in operation tomorrow.

William B. Stuart, who has been conducting the special removal sale for B. Abramson, closes his engagement Saturday evening.

The Agriculture team of the Department League will come to Alexandria tomorrow to play the Cardinal A. C.

The schoner Genesta, loaded with lumber by Henry K. Field & Co., has sailed for Coan river.

Charles Churchman brought to this office today a basket containing fine lettuce and radishes grown this season on his truck farm on south Henry street extended.

Four military aeroplanes piloted by lieutenants of the Frenc harmy, arrived at Biskra, Algeria, after a 500-mile trip over the Sahara district. One of the machnes carried Colonel Boutbeaux as a passenger. The entire flight was made without escort.

PASSOVER BEGINS MONDAY

Leap Year Makes the Feast Month Later Than Usual This Year

The Jewish Feast of the Pasover, or unleavened bread, the oldest, as well as one of the most important feasts in the Hebrew calendar, will begin Monday evening. Services will be held in the synagogue on North Washington street.

In nearly all Hebrew homes there will be family reunions, known as Sedar services, Monday and Tuesday evenings.

The feast is observed for seven days by Reformed Jews and eight days by the Orthodax. The passover is a great feast of gladness and rejoicing and special song services and sermons marks its beginning and end During this period unleavened bread will be eaten.

Passover coresponds to the Easttertide of the Christian church. They usually fall within a week or 10 days of each other. The interval of a month this year is partially due to the fact that this is Leap Year in the Jewish calendar. As a result, all the Jewish Hebrew holidays are late this time. In the Hebrew calendar it begins on the eve of the fifteenth day of the first month, which in the Julian calendar occurs in March or April.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY.

Potomac Railroad Employee Turned Over to Prince William Authorities.

John Edward Trimble, an employee of the Potomac Railway yards who was arrested yesterday on a charge of bigamy preferred by his wife's uncle, W. T. Griffith, of Manassas, will be turned over this afternoon to the Manassas authorities, who have notified the police department that they will send an officer here for the prisoner. Trimble acknowledges that he has been married twice, but states that he thought that he had been freed from the marriage to his first wife when Justice Crutchfield, in Richmond, told him that if he went near her again he would be sent to the penitentiary. According to the man's story, he was married seven years ago in Gordonsville to Miss Louise Walton Darnell. Six months ago she had him arrested in Richmond for threatening to kill her and he was dismissed by the Richmond judge and ordered not to molest his wife any longer. He left and went to Manassas. There he married Miss Mary Deale on January 22nd. Recently the couple moved to Alexandria and the husband secured employment in the Potomac Yards. His second wife found out of his previous marriage when wife No. 1 swore out a warrant against Trimble in Richmond charging him with non-support.

CIVIL SERVICE JOBS.

The following examinations are announced by the Civil Service Commission to take place on the dates named: Stenographer and typewriter, May 17; Mineral examiner, May 21; structural steel draftsman, May 21; copyist, Marine engine and boiler draftsman, May 21; drainage engineer, May 21; assistant engineer, in forest products ,May 21; copyist mechanical draftsman, May 7.

PRESBYTERY OF POTOMAC.

Concludes Session in Baltimore. Will Meet Next Year in Floris, Fairfax County

After having completed a volume of routine work, electing four delegates to the General Assembly and selecting Floris, Va., as their next meeting place, the Presbytery of the Potomac closed its three day's session yesterday afternoon in Franklin Street Church, Batlmore. The benediction was pronounced by Dr. William Chinn of Warrenton, Va. Gen. A. C. Trippe, of Baltimore, and a director of the Presbyterian Orphanage at Lynchburg, Va., took up considerable of the day's session with a graphich history of that institution and of its great work in caring for orphan children. He made a stirring appeal to the Presbytery for additional funds for running the orphanage and at the conclusion a resolution was offered and adopted granting a substantial increase for this purpose.

The following commissioners were elected to represent the Presbytery in the General Assembly, which convenes in Atlanta, Ga., May 15.

Drs. R. H. Fleming, of Hillsdale, Md., and John Lee Allison, of Alexandria, Va., as the ministerial delegates. Drs. W. J. McMillan, of Maryland Avenue Church, and A. L. Peryman, of Waterford, Va., as alternates.

The lay commissioners elected were: C. W. Dorsey, of Hillsdale, Md., and Dr. R. O. Sadler, of Baltimore, with Julian C. Keith, of Warrenton, Va., and H. C. MaCatee, of Washington, as alternates.

After considering several invitations to entertain the next Presbytery, Floris, Fairfax county, Va., was selected, and September 16 named as the time for the fall meeting. Rev. M. E. Hanson is pastor of the church at Floris. Dr. W. H. Woods, of Baltimore, was reelected stated secretary, and his statistical report showed a total membership in the Presbytery of 3,286 communicants and an enrollment of 2,612 Sunday school scholars. The report was a flattering one and was adopted as the proper one to be submitted at the General Assembly. Dr. Samuel S. Laws, of Washington, and one of the oldest ministers of the Presbytery, attended all of the sessions and entered freely into the various discussions, especially that referring to the disposition of two Indian school buildings in Oklahoma. Dr. Laws was accompanied by his wife.

TO BANQUET EMPLOYEES.

Paff Shoe Company to Entertain Tonight Preparatory to New Run.

Preparatory to the commencement of a new run, which commences on Monday, to manufacture the largest orders in the history o ftheir business for the fall and winter trade, the Paff Shoe Company will entertain their employes at a banquet tonight in the factory.

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NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION.

GOVERNOR NOW MUCH BETTER.

Acute Indigestion And Slight Attack of Appendicitis.

Richmond, April 18.—Governor Mann, who has been suffering from an attack of acute indigestion, and who was also threatened with a mild attack of appendicitis, is reported very much better. His secretary, Ben P. Owen, who was early at the mansion, said yesterday at noon that the Governor is able to attend to light business matters, and that there is no occasion for any alarm.

It is expected that the Governor will be able to get back to his office by the first of next week. He is keeping in close touch with allthat is going on and is informed as to the trend of matters of a public nature.

His nephew, Dr. Herbert Mann, and Drs. Call and Robins are attending the governor.

SHOT BY MASKED NEGROES.

Clyde J. Carpenter Dying in Winchester Hospital.

Winchester, Va., April 18—Waylaid by a band of masked negro thugs, Clyde J. Carpenter, a young insurance agent, was shot late Wednesday night during a pistol battle on Main street and was dying last night in the hospital here. The police have made wholesale arrests of negroes. In a dying deposition made to Prosecuting Atorney Reardon and Chief of Police Doran,this afternon Carpenter declared that he recognized two of his assailants, Edward Robinson and Houston Taylor, both negroes, who are in jail.

Carpenter, who is about 30 years of age, was walking along a dark and unfrequented portion of the street, when he was shot down from ambush. Residents of the neighborhood say that many shots were fired. Carpenter defended himself by firing at his assailants until he was wounded and toppled over an embankment into the undergrowth alongside the roadway, where he was later found. He was shot in the leg and through the left lung. On the previous night he had been attacked by a crowd of negroes, who stoned him. Carpenter is from Harrisonburg.

Y. M. C .A. Convention.

Lynchburg, Va., April 18.—The thirty-fourth annual convention of the Virginia Young Men's Christian Association convened here last night at Westminister Presbyterian Church, with several hundred delegates in attendance. Nearly every college in Virginia has a delegate present.

The convention was welcomed by Rev. George Floyd Rogers, to which Dr. Charles W. Kent, of the University of Virginia responded. Rev. Geo. R. Stuart addressed the convention on "Lop-sided Christmas."

Aged Employe Dead.

Wytheville, Va., April 18.—C. P. Hudson, agent for the Norfolk and Western Railway at Rural Retreat, and the next to the oldest agent in service on this division, died in a hospital at Abingdon early yesterday morning. He was 56 years old. He is survived by a widow and five children. Burial will be at Rural Retreat.

One of the most appalling accidents to spherical balloons in many years, occurred yesterday afternoon at Noisy Le Grand, France. The military balloon Zodiac collapsed at a height of about 650 feet and fell to the ground with its five occupants, all of whom were killed.

TESTIFIES AGAINST HUSBAND.

Mrs. Bosserman Defends Worth—Says he Was Attacked.

Staunton, Va., April 18.—Mrs. Clara Rowzee Bosserman, wife of Luther B. Bosserman, was the first witness put on the stand yesterday by the defense in the trial of A. D. Worth for shooting Mr. Bosserman.

Mrs. Bosserman gave her answers in a clear voice on direct examination, but became petulant under cross-examination.

Her story of the shooting hardly varied from that told by her at her own trial. She had made an engagement she said, with Worth to meet her sister, Hallie, and he arrived before time. Her husband returned home unexpectedly, she said, and to avoid a scene she called Worth upstairs and told him to hide in the wardrobe. Her husband searched the rooms, and when he found Worth he exclaimed: "D— you, I will kill you!" she said. A fight ensued, she said, and her husband had thrown Worth against the window, when Worth shot. She said she threw herself between the combatants, trying to separate them.

The attorney for the Commonwealth did not spare Mrs. Bosserman, but she made no dangerous admission. On all points involving her reputation she made a stout denial. Put on as a character witness Mayor Wayt said he had known Mrs. Bosserman all her life and he would believe her on oath.

Crushed Under Smokestack.

Winchester, Va. April 18.—Vernon W. Hansenfluck, 22 years old, was killed yesterday at the M. J. Grove Lime Company's plant at Stephens City, when the brake wheel of a large box car of a Baltimore and Ohio freight train struck a guy rope of a 1,500 pound steel smokestack and pulled it down on him. He leaves a young wife and two small children.

Fatal Fall From Train.

Richmond, Va., April 18.—Edward A. Reddin, 25 years old, son of Thos. A. Reddin, of this city, a traveling salesman for the Smith-Courtney Company, met death late Wednesday night near Waverly Va. His managled body was found early yesterday morning beside the tracks of the Norfolk and Western Railway, two miles east of Waverly. It appears that Reddin desired to go from Waverly to Wakefield, and caught the second section o ftrain No. 4, east bound He got on the wrong side of the vestibuled train, and it is presumed he lost his head coming in violent contact with a rock. The body was brought to Richmond this afternoon.

Aviator's Long Flight.

Richmond, Va., April 18.—Aviator George Gray made a successful flight from Petersburg to Richmond yesterday afternoon, landing, at the State Fair Grounds at 6 o'clock. Miss Jack Stearnes, of Culpeper, wa sto have accompanied him, but he decided it would be best to make the trip alone. Tomorrow afternoon Miss Stearnes and Gray will give exhibition flights at the fair grounds for the benefit of the flood sufferers in Ohio and Indiana.

Former Mayor Dead.

Norfolk, April 18.—C. Brooks Johnston, one of Norfolk's leading citizens, died at a sanatorium in Baltimore yesterday, following a long illness.

Mr. Johnston was at one time Mayor of Norfolk and also was formerly president of the Norfolk and Portsmouth Traction, now a part of the Virginia Railway and Power Company.

Steamed hard shell Crabs daily at Rammel Cafe.

FARMS AND FARM LIFE.

Live Discussion at Conference For Education.

Richmond, Va., April 18.—The various committees and sections of the Conference for Education in the South, in session here, made farms and farm life the chief topics of discussion yesterday, the general meeting tonight, in which all of the groups took part, being devoted to farm demonstration work.

The importance of education was emphasized, speakers at the conferences conducted by the presidents of state colleges for women, asserting that public schools are inadequate in matter of teaching so as to meet the modern conditions. The point was made that people are leaving the farms for the cities because of the absence of real country life and the drudgery that is forced upon the women.

The conference on taxation took up the desirability of having a permanent tax commission in each state Among the speakers were former Governor E. F. Noel, of Mississippi; Lawrence A. Prudy, New York; T. S. Adams, of Wisconsin, and Charles Lee Raper, of North Carolina.

The League of Southern Women Writers decided to meet independently in future, the by-laws being changed so that men may become eligible for membership.

MEN HAD GUNS.

Officers Searched 50 at Barnett Allen's Trial And Found 33 Were Armed.

Richmond, April 18.—"I happened to be in Hillsville several weeks ago when the case of Barnett Allen charged with interfering with an officer, came up for trial. Judge A. A Campbell presided at the trial, and just before the court opened orders were issued that no person should be admitted to the court room till he had been searched by a deputy sheriff."

That was the statement made by a man who traveled a good part of that section of the state yesterday. The speaker continued:

"Whether it was necessary to search the men or not I will not undertake to say, but, as a matter of fact, out of a crowd of some fifty men on hand there were thirty-three weapons confiscated for the time being by officers,, and when the court was adjourned the weapons were handed back to the parties to whom they belonged. That was some time ago, and I expect when the next grand jury meets that there will be thirty-three indictments of persons for carrying concealed deadly weapons."

Barnett Allen was acquitted.

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ORGANIZATION OF SONS OF SECESSION.

Confederate Veterans' Camps and their noble auxiliaries, organizations of ladies, are cherished institutions in our south land, and their perpetuation is the earnest wish of all who honor the wearer of the gray. They fought for principles they had every reason to regard as sacred, principles guaranteed at the formation of the federal government, and so long as time shall last the survivors of the armies of the late Southern Confederacy will receive the appreciation due them in the land where they fought against great odds for four long years. That they failed to sustain their rights and perpetuate the principles for which they contended is no fault of theirs. The noble women of the south, who did so much in the way of sympathy and aided them in their struggles are to the south as the Spartan women of old who plaited their locks into bow strings when their men went to war.

But we believe there should be a limit to everything, and the work of organizing another society to be known as "The Sons of Secession," as is proposed in the city of Richmond, looks like a work of supererogation The qualification to membership in this organization is to be a descendant of a signer of the ordinance of secession as passed by the Virginia Convention 52 years ago. As is said above, the men who did the fighting deserve the honor they receive, but how any halo of glory can rest upon the heads of the members of that convention is difficult to perceive by the present generation.

In fact, it is one of the puzzles of history to understand how that convention ever voted the state out of the union, as a majority of the delegates were in favor of Virginia remaining in the federal compact and were elected on that issue. John Janney, of Loudoun, a pronounced union man, was the president.

However, the war has been over many years, and we have no disposition to dig up ancient history. The state went out of the union and Virginians performed their share of duty on the field of battle and were among the last to lay down their arms in the face of greatly superior numbers.

The country is now united more firmly than at any time in its history, and the Confederate Veteran is honored in all sections of the country, federal and southern survivors meeting around the same camp fires from Maine to the Rio Grande. But the formation of a society to be known as the "Sons of Secessionists" would not add strength to the cement. In fact their mission is likely to be misunderstood.

In this connection it may be suggested that the sons, grandsons, aunts and cousins of the members of the old 175th Regiment of Virginia militia be given an opportunity to organize. Under the old muster laws, every male was compelled to drill with broomsticks or cornstalks. This organization would render nearly every person in the state eligible for membership.

HEARING ON NEW SCHOOL BUILDING.

The gathering in the chamber of the Common Council last night was probably the largest which ever appeared before a committee in the city's history. It was representative, and people were present from nearly all walks of life all of whom earnestly urged upon the city the necessity for the immediate erection of a high school to meet the growing wants of the city's school population. It was said by all the speakers that the rooms now used for tuition purposes are overcrowded, that many children are unable to gain admission, while the old Lancasterian building has long out-lived its day of usefulness and that it is unsanitary.

A minister of the gospel appeared in the interests of the movement, several ladies, and representatives of the pulse of the city—the Chamber of Commerce and Retail Merchants—and there was a sprinkling of members of the Trades Union, and most of the fraternal organizations of the city.

They were all of one accord in their statements, and the members of the school and finance committee listened attentively to all that was said.

As had been anticipated, however, no one seemed to have any definite plan as to how the money necessary for this new building could be raised. One speaker said he heartily approved of the plan suggested some time ago when a committee of the School Board met the Committees on Schools and Finance.

The speakers laid the burden of handling the financial end of the project upon the City Council. It is hoped by all interested that some feasible plan may be found by which the money can be raised, but in the meantime nothing impossible should be expected of men who are doing the best they can and who realize the wants of the city as do those who appeared before them last night.

It should be stated that every application for a permit to enter the public schools this year was granted, although, it is true, there has been some crowding. About one hundred and sixty applications in excess of those of last year were made, and should the school population increase at the same rate by next September, additional accommodations will be needed in order to meet demands.

This statement is made authoritatively, as there were allegations made last night which were calculated to make people believe that many children are at present crowded out of the schools.

START FLY CRUSADE.

City Health Department Reports Receipts of $69 For War Chest.

The warm sunshine of the past two days has served to bring out the flies,and they become a reminder that the fly breeding season is at hand.Immediate arrangements for starting fly crused will be made by city health department under the direction of Dr. E. A. Gorman health officer, who announces up to date a total of $69 has been received from contributors for use in carrying on the crusade .

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All the money received by the Health Department to carry on the crusade against flies is to be used in the distribution of prizes to the children of the city as a reward for their efforts inexterminating the pests. As an added incentive to the children Dr. Gorman hopes to be able to offer larger prizes this season than were given last year. To enable him to do this, additional cash contributions must be received betwen now and first of the month by which time arrangements will be completed. Announcement of the number and amount of the cash prizes to be given by swatters will be made at that time.

The health department has sent out several hundred letters to the business men of the city urging each to give something towards the expenses of the y campaign, which it is estimated will cost about $250 this year. It is important that contributors send in their contributions at once. Persons disliking publicity need not have their names mentioned in connection with their donations if desired but it is hoped that the sum needed for the fly campaign this year will be collected by the first of the month.

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I'd buy large tracts of real estate and deal in bonds and stocks,
Like Lewis, Graham and Boswell, if I had a million rocks.

If I had a million, why, you know where I would go?
Like Brumback did I'd go abroad and travel to and fro,
And also I would hike about the country near and far,
In an auto just like Big Bill Smoot's expensive motor car,
To wear a fancy pea-gren hat would be one of my fads,
Like Eddie Fawcett wears, you know If I'd a million scads.

If I had a million, why you know how I would act?
I'd wear the finest clothes in town I would, and that's a fact,
I'd have a handsome cutaway just like Bob Barrett wears,
And no chorus girl or duchess could outdo me making airs,
Then, too, I'd ride my horse 'round town as proud as Dr. Jones,
You bet I'd spend my money if I had a million bones.

We call it pretty tough luck. Just as soon as the weather clears up so they can play, they are scheduled for a series in New York.

We don't want to hurry Justice Washington in handing down his opinion, but we are consumed with curiosity to know who is going to get that cow.

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Introduction ..... Organ
They That Despised Thee .... Tenor Recitative
Zion Awake ..... Chorus
I Love Try Kingdom, Lord .... Duet, Solo, and Tenor
His Foundation is The Holy Mountains ..... Sop. Solo and Cho.
Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken ..... Sop. Solo Cho.
Ascend Thy Throne, Almighty God ..... Male Quartette
Hear My Cry,O God, Baritone Solo
When Shall The Voice of Singing, Duet(Sop. and Alto) and Cho.
Praise Waiteth For Thee Chorus

Part 2.

Lord, Who Shall Abide ..... Baritone Sole and Chorus
How Beautiful.. Trio. Sop. Alto ..... and Tenor
Take My Heart, Sop. Solo and Cho.
Arise, Shine; For Thy Light is Come ..... Sop. Solo and Cho.
Unto Thee Do We Lift up Our Eyes ..... Quartet
Sing Unto Him a New Song ..... Bass, Solo and Chorus
The Lord Shall Comfort Zion, ... Duet, Sop. and Alto
The Lord is My Shepherd ..... Chorus
The City of Rest .... Tenor Solo
Blessed Be the Lord of Israel, ... Chorus

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Tenor—Mr. Hayden Henderson.

Baritone—Mr. J. T. Preston.

Bass—Mr. James L. Foster.

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The last course of Reinicker Lectures for this session at the Seminary will be delivered by the Rev. I. J. Lansing, D. D., expert lecturer on Social Christianity for the Men and Religion, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, April 22d, 23d and 24th; on Tuesday and Wednesday at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon and on Thursday, at 12 o'clock. The subjects are: Lecture 1—The Social Programme of the Lord's Prayer. Lecture 2—The Conservation of Humanity. Lecture 3—The Spiritual Value of Social Service. The Seminary is very fortunate in securing Dr. Lansing as a Reinicker Lecturer, for his lectures have made a deep impression whereever they have been given.

The Rev. Dr. Crawford, Dean of the Seminary, has received from an Alumnus a gift of $815, for the Endowment Fund of the Theological Seminary in Virginia. The Alumnus desires to withhold his name and to be known only as H. Senex. This expression of interest from one of our oldest Alumni is gratefully appreciated, and we trust it may arouse a similar interest in others.

Two afternoons a week off and the right to entertain company in the parlor without interference from the family are among the demands to be made by domestic servants of Chicago who have just organized a union to be known as the Household Worker's Association the new union obtained a charter yesterday from the American Federation of Labor. As soon as the organization is of sufficient strength to control the situation better working conditions will be demanded together with better hours of work. Wednesday and Sunday afternoons will be the free time demanded.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

Two acronauts were killed yesterday by the bursting of a spherical balloon at a suburban town, five miles northeast of Paris. The war office reports that the balloon belonged to thearmy aeronautical corps and that the crew consisted of five army officers and three of them were killed.

Three firemen were killed and dozen others were seriously, some probably fatally yesterday when they were buried beneath a falling wall at a fire which destroyed the five-story candy factory of W. T. Westcott, near the center of Philadelphia.

HIS BALLOON DEFLATED.

Brucker's Trans-Atlantic Flight is Postponed.

Las Palmas, Canary Islands, April 18.—Joseph Brucker, formerly of Milwaukee failed to start as scheduled yesterday on his proposed trans-Atlantic flight to the West Indies in the dirigible balloon Suchard II. Just as all preparations had been completed for the flight at daybreak this morning the gas escaped in some manner through the chief valve and the envelope suddenly became deflated. Urgeant telegrams were sent to Germany for a further supply of gas.

Engineer Kruger, who had been engaged to navigate the dirigible, at the last moment made some demur about undertaking hte hazardous voyage and the promoters of the flight took out $50,000 insurance in his behalf.

Brucker expressed extreme annoyance over the accident. A large crowd which had waited for hours hoping to see the departure of the airship manifested much disgust at the postponement of the voyage.

Theagreement for the suspension of hostilities between the Bulgarians and Turks is officially confiremd. The armistice will last until April 23 and may be prolonged if peace has not been concluded in the interval. A neutral zone is to be fixed during the suspension of fighting and it has been agreed that the Turkish fleet shall not interfere with the revictualing of the Bulgarian army. The armistice may be annulled on 48 hours' notice by either party.

BENEFIT OF SLAUGHTER HOUSE

Locally Killed Beef Will be Offered For Sale in Future.

With the designation by the city, of a municipal slaughter house, it is expected that a larger amount of locally killed beef will be placed on sale by dealers. All such meat, is, of course, to be city inspected, which insures only best quality of meat for the local market. The price of beef in Alexandria has not undergone much change over prices of last week. The best quality of steaks and chops bring 30 to 35 cents a pound, while the best cuts for roasting sell at 81c to 20c a pound. Bacon has gone up in price on account of the scarcity of pork, it bringing as high as 30 cents. Sausage and smoked meats bring about the same as the current prices of last week.

The season for the sale of oysters is about over, fresh fish now supplanting them in the market. There is plenty of crab meat to be secured as well as both hard and soft shell live crabs.

In vegetables the local market seems very well supplied. There is a good supply of all kinds of fresh greens. New peas and greens sell for 25 cents a quarter peck. Fresh tomatoes are bringing 15 cents a pound, slightly more than the price asked last week. Fine lettuce sells at from 5c to 10c a head and is plentiful, while celery is now getting scarce. The last of the Florida grape fruits are being shipped. They bring 25 cents for three. Oranges, 35c to 40c a dozen.

Butter is holding its own, selling at from 42 to 45 cents a pound.

The best of spring chickens, suitable for broiling are bringing 40 cents a pound, some chickens, however, selling as low as 22c a pound.

CURRENT PRICES.

Roast Beef	15c to 25c lb.
Pot Roast	18c
Legs of Lamb	20c & 25c lb
Breast of Veal	15c
Fresh Hams	20c
Pork Loins	22c
Veal Cutlets	35c lb.
Lamb Chops	25c to 35c
Veal Roast, pound	2 to 35c
Beef Liver	13c lb 2lbs for 25c
Lard	11c to 15c pound
Smoked hams	20 and 22c lb.
Smoked Shoulders	15c
Bacon	20c to 30c
Tongue	50c to 60c
Sausage	12 1-2c to 18c
Puddings	12 1-2c to 15c lb
Chickens	25c lb.
Fowls	22c
Eggs, country, dozen	22c
Eggs, Western, dozen	20c
Butter, creamery	40c lb
Country Creamery buter, lb.	42c
Onions	10c 1-4 peck
Sweet potatoes, peck	50c
Irish Potatoes, peck	25c
Lettuce	5, 8c, and 10c
Apples	40c and 50c peck
Cabbage, per head	5c and 8c
Celery,	5c and 10c bunch
Egg plants, each	10c
Radishes, 4 bunches	10c
Peppers, four for	10c
Oyster Plant, bunch	5c
Oranges, per dozen	40c
Grape Fruit, 3 for	25c
Fresh Tomatoes, pound	15c
Spring Onions, 2 and 3 for	5c
Leeks	1c each
Spinach	10c 1-4 peck
Kale, per 1-4 peck	5c
Honey	20c pound
Mushrooms	60c lb
New Cabbage, per pound	5c and 10c
Red Beets	10c
Asparagus, bunch	10c
New potatoes 1-4 peck	25c
New Beans, 1-4 peck	25c
Green Peas, 1-4 peck	25c
Rhubarb, bunch	5c and 8c
Cucumbers, each	5c to 8c
Florida Oranges, doz.	35c to 40c
New Bermuda Onions, 1-4 peck	25c

NEW MODE OF ATTACK.

Silk Mill Strikers Are Beginning to Divulge Trade Secrets.

Paterson, N. J., April 18.—The newest mode of attack decided upon by the 27,000 striking silk mill employes was disclosed Wednesday when they began to divulge "trade secrets" regarding the manufacture of the material that is beloved of all others by Milady.

"The dres sin which the ladies take so much pride does not come from the cocoon spun by the silk worms, is generally supposed, but from rusty horse shoes, scrap iron and empty tomato cans of the city dump," is one startling assertion made by the labor leaders.

"The average silw dress is composed of one part silk to six parts of tin, lead, iron or zinc," declared William D. Haywood, the I .W. W. leader in charge of the strike," the metal coming from the scrap heaps back of the factory. It is taken, dumped into vats and treated chemically to make a solution. Then the fibers are mimersed in this solution and absorb from four to six times their own weight of the metal."

This treatment is not only to save the cost of pure silk fiber, declare the strikers, but also to make the silk so weak that it soon falls to pieces and increases the demand for the factory's output.

Addressing group of strikers yesterday, Haywood said:

"How much real good silk is made in this country in these days under the famous protective tariff? That tariff has not benefitted you in the least, and its reduction will not hurt you, but will force the manufacturers to make decent silk.'

William T. Scott, the only negro ever nominated for President of the United States by a properly constituted national delegate convention representing 37 states in the Union, and at present a candidate for Minister to the colored republic of Hayti, was yesterday placed on the House payroll as a janitor. The National Liberty Party, with 400 delegates, met in St. Louis in 1904 and nominated Scot for president over three other colored men.

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Fresh Peanut Butter, jar.. 5c
Pure Virgin Olive Oil, 1-2 pt., Pts., and Qts., full measure.
Canned Peaches, can 15c
Canned Asparagus, can ..20c
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The messenger of evil was turned away from the executive mansion before he could reach Secretary Tumulty. Rev. Mr. Snyder said he was not sure of the exact date of the earthquake, but he was going to leave Washington immediately, "so as not to get caught."

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Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernor week days at 5:35, 6:56 7:56, 8:51, 10.25 11:25 a. m., 12:25, 1:25, 2:25, 3:30, 4:40 5:30, 6.30, 7 35, 8.50, 9.50, 10.0, 11.50, P. M

Sundays—7.00 8:30, 9:30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m., 1230, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30 6:30, 7:30, 8:46 and 10:16 p. m.

COAL. COKE. WOOD

Order your coal before the advance at lowest summer prices. Best quality, prompt delivery, and bottom price. Phone 95. De WATCHESON 107, South Royal Street.

John E. W. Wayman, former State's attorney for Cook county Illinois fired two bullets into his body at his residence yesterday. The cause ascribed was a nervous breakdown due to ill health. He may recover. For several weeks his physicians had warned him that unless he quit work entirely he would undoubtedly die.

DETECTIVE IN LOVE TANGLE.

Duped by Servant Girl he Courted to Learn of Youth's Murder.

A Berlin correspondent of the New York Tribune writes:

The overzealous efforts of a private detective to unravel the mystery of the death of a schoolboy. Ernest Tiemann, found hanging by his parents in his home last October,has led him into a love entanglement and trouble with the police.

The parents of young Tiemann were not satisfied that their son had committed suicide and employed a detective, who began his work by making the acquaintance of a servant girl employed by Tiemanns at the time of the tragedy and suspected of being in some way connected with it.

Masquerading as a wealthy young merchant, he became a suitor for the girl's hand. As soon as he was engaged to marry her he told her that he had learned that she was suspected of murdering the boy, and, although he was ready to marry her, even if guilty, she must first make a clean breast of the matter.

The girl then confessed that a former sweetheart had strangled the boy, who found them in the Tiemann house.

According to the Berlin newspapers, however, the police authorities now incline to the theory that the girl duped the detective, who was subjected to a stiff cross examination at the public prosecutor's office, after which the statement was made that there now was every ground to believe the girl. The prosecutor asserts that she made the so-called "confession" in order to avoid losing her fiance.

Proceedings against the detective are now threatened for assuming official authority. The girl is still in jail.

CONTEMPT OF COURT RULING.

Order in Gompers' Case Held to Apply in Civil Actions Also.

New York, April 18.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals ruled yesterday that contempt proceedings in a civil case to be valid must be instituted by the government and not by a private individual. The opinion was based upon the decision of the United States Supreme Court in the famous case of Samuel Gompers president of the American Federation of Labor and the Buck Stove and Range Company. The latter was a criminal case, but the Circuit Court held that the ruling there made applied to civil cases as well.

The court today reversed precedents by declaring that a person adjudged guilty of contempt in a civil suit should be given the alternative of leaving jail before the expiration of his ten-day sentence, if meanwhile he consented to answer questions. Only in a criminal case, the decision held, could the prisoner for contempt be made to serve the whole sentence.

Seven persons were burned to death several women sustained injuries from which they may die, an dscore of persons rescued by firemen in a spectacular fire which destroyed the De Wilson Hotel, an old three-story wooden structure in Malone, N. Y. yesterday.

MASSACHUSETTS BREWERIES COMPANY.

To the Stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company:

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the By-Laws of the Company the Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company will be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on Monday, the 28th day of April, 1913, at the principal office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, in Alexandria, Virginia.

1.To elect a board of nine directors of the Company.

2.—To transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

EDWARD RUHL, Secretary.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE HOUSE AND LOT.
By Samuel H. Lunt Auctioneer.

I will offer for sale at the Royal Street entrance of the Market building, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 26, AT 12 O'CLOCK,

that valuabe eight-room frame house and stable No. 911 Franklin street, The lot fronts 24 feet 5 inches on Franklin Street, by 114 feet to an alley 12 feet wide. This is a fine opportunity for any one desiring a comfortable home, as the house is in fine condition with bath and gas. Terms of sale, one-third cash, balance in 6 and 12 months.

17 td. HARVEY SIMPSON.

FOR SALE—Motor Boat—26 ft. long 6tf. 4-in. beam, 14 horse power 2 cylinder Detroit engine, fully equipped according to law. Will be sold cheap. Inquire at Moore's Garage, 109 King street. 7 3wks

EGGS FOR SALE FOR SETTING—White and Brown Leghorn, Buff Orpington, and Rocks, Silver Wyandottes, and Reds. $1.00 per 15. Baby chicks and breeders. Charles E. Outcalt, 122 South Washington street. 16 12t-o-a-w-sat

NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Columbia Real Estate Company, will be held at the office of the company, 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, May 5, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the election of officers and other business.

15 3t. A. P. FARDIN, Prest.
A. S. Jones, Secretary.

NOTICE.

I will be at my store office daily corner King and Lee streets for the next thirty days. All owing accounts at the store will please call or mail checks to settle up. Accounts not paid within 30 days will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

9 3 wks. E. GOLDSMITH.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Edwards Land and Building Company, at the office of Jas S. Groves, Mt. Ida, Alexandria county, Virginia, on May 5, 1913, at 2:30 P. M., for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may be brought before it.

BENJ. F. EDWARDS, Sec.
804 McLachlen Bldg., Washington, D. C 3t-16-23-30.

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 9th, 1913.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lanston Monotype Machine Company will be held at the Elks Home, corner Prince and Royal Streets, Alexandria, Va., at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 1st day of May, 1913, for the purpose of elecvting a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and transact such other business as may properly come before it.

Transfer books will be closed on April 21st, at four o'clock, p. m., and will be reopened on May 6th at ten o'clock a. m.

By order of the Board of Directors.

W. ARTHUR SELLMAN, Sect.
apr 14-15t.

NOTICE TO BUTCHERS.

The slaughter house of Aaron O'Dell having been officially designated as the municipal slaughter house of Alexandria by the Health Committee of City Council you are hereby notified that on and after April 21 no beef will be allowed to be sold within the city limits of Alexandria that has not been killed in the official slaughter house and inspected by the city officials or which has passed Federal inspevction.

16-6t. J. J. GARVEY,
Deputy Health Officer.

NOTICE TO LIQUOR DEALERS.

All applications for LIQOUR LICENSE for the ensuing year must be filed with the Clerk of the Corporation Court, accompanied by the required bond, on or before April 23 By order of the Court.

CHARLES H. CALLAHAN.
Commissioner of Revenue.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Washington Storage Co., Inc., will be held on the sixteenth day of April,A.D.,1913 at 11 o'clock A.M.at the principal office of the company. in the State of Virginia, 119 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated, the 18th day of March, A. D., 1913.

LOUIS P. KREY, Secty.
March 191 a w 4t

NOTICE.

The regular annual stockholders meeting of the Virginia Marble Co, will be held at 305 King St., Alexandria, Va., Tuesday, the 29th day of April, 1913 at 12 M., for the purpose of the election of officers, etc.

WM. H. SAUNDERS
12 12t. Vice-President.

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LOW CUT SHOES.
For Women, nearly all sizes. Closing out at ..89c

MEN'S SUITS.
We are closing out broken lines, mostly small sizes. Only a few left. Sale price $1.95

MEN'S HATS.
Soft Hats, Stiff Hats, Caps. Broken lines. Closing out at 25c

LOW CUT SHOES.
For men, in Tan, Black and Red. Closing out at $1.25

MEN'S SUITS.
Another lot, broken line of sizes, up to 38. Only a few left. Closing out at $4.45

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Suitable for dress or work. Selling out at....95c

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